

**BEDWORTH URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**ANNUAL REPORTS**

**of the**

**MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH**

**and of the**

**CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR**

**FOR THE YEAR**

**1963**



BEDWORTH URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE  
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

Public Health Department,  
Council Offices,  
Bedworth.

To the Chairman and Members of the  
Urban District Council.

Mr. Chairman, Mrs. Ward and Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting to you my Annual Report on the health of the inhabitants of the Urban District of Bedworth for 1963, together with the report of the Chief Public Health Inspector.

The mid year estimate obtained from the Registrar Generals Department gave the population of the Urban District for 1963 as 34,250 showing an increase of 870 compared with the previous year.

During the year 651 births were registered being 6 less than in 1962 giving a birth rate of 17.11 which was below the national average of 18.2.

The number of infant deaths was 13 which corresponded with an infant mortality rate of 19.97 compared with the national rate of 20.9.

Once again the causes of death were due to congenital deformities, prematurity and other causes which are not preventable in the present state of our medical knowledge.

The number of deaths was 428 (12 more than in 1962) giving a mortality rate of 12.61, 92 (nearly a quarter) of the deaths were due to diseases of the respiratory tract which included 18 deaths due to cancer of the lung. This figure is an increase of 3 on the comparable figure for 1962 and reflects the national trend for the mortality from this disease to increase from year to year.

Two important contributory factors one cigarette smoking and atmospheric pollution. The former is under the control of the individual and although efforts are being made to educate the public as to the evils of this habit progress is slow due to the intensive advertising campaigns run by the manufacturers.

Over 70 per cent of atmospheric pollution results from the combustion of coal in open grates. Situated in a coal mining area with a number of the inhabitants employed in the industry the pollution from this source is considerable in the Urban District. In fact Bedworth is listed as one

of the black areas in the country.

The establishment of smoke control areas would, by eliminating a considerable amount of pollution, make a valuable contribution in decreasing the incidence of respiratory diseases.

The number of deaths from tuberculosis numbered 3 which were in the 55 - 66 age group. This is a much lower figure than has been quoted in the past when Bedworth had a high incidence of this disease. The number of cases on the Tuberculosis Register is slowly being reduced and at the end of the year totalled 377. Factors which have contributed to this decline, include improved living standards and nutrition, early diagnosis, followed by effective treatment and the follow up of all contacts.

Another valuable contribution is the opportunity for all children to be protected prior to leaving school with BCG vaccine. This vaccine gives effective protection against the disease during the vulnerable period of adolescence.

During the year the Council agreed in principle to the fluoridation of the public water supply in the Urban District. Those of us who come into contact with children are appalled at the high incidence of dental decay which we encounter. Many children are leaving school at the age of 15 having lost all their teeth been supplied with dentures. During the last few years a number of trials have taken place to test the efficacy of this method of combating dental decay. It has now been agreed that the fluoridation of drinking water has proved to be the safest and cheapest way of reducing the incidence of dental cases in developing children.

The water supply to the Urban District (which is the responsibility of the North East Warwickshire Water Board) was satisfactory. Samples of mains water are, from time to time, submitted by the Board and your Chief Public Health Inspector, for bacteriological examination and the results obtained showed that the water was free from contamination.

The number of notifications of infectious diseases was lower than in the previous year, when nearly two hundred cases of dysentery and food poisoning were reported.

Once again I am happy to report that no cases of diphtheria or poliomyelitis occurred and there is no doubt that the high acceptance rate for immunisation against these diseases is the main factor in their decline.

The Personal Health Services which are the responsibility of Warwickshire County Council continue to expand and are fully reported in the Annual Reports of the County Medical Officer and Principal School Medical Officer.

Finally I should like to state that the standard of health and hygiene in the Urban District of Bedworth for 1963 was satisfactory and some progress was made.



I should like to thank the Chairman Councillor J. W. Fletcher and members of the Public Health Committee for their continued interest and support. Appreciation must also be expressed for the co-operation and assistance received from your Chief Public Health Inspector, members of the Inspectorate and colleagues in other departments.

E. M. HUGHES.

Medical Officer of Health.



TABLE 1  
VITAL STATISTICS AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS

Area of District .. .. .	7,913 acres
Population (Registrar General's Estimate) mid. 1963.	34,250
Rateable Value at 31. 12. 63. .. .. .	£934,617
General Rate Levied .. .. .	9/10
Product of Penny Rate .. .. .	£3875
Number of Inhabited Houses, including Houses and Shops and Licensed Premises as at 31. 3. 63. ..	10,520

Live Births	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate .. .. .	315	303	618
Illegitimate .. .. .	17	16	33
Total .. .. .	332	319	651
Still Births			
Legitimate .. .. .	7	6	13
Illegitimate .. .. .	-	-	-
Total .. .. .	7	6	13
All Births .. .. .	339	325	664

Birth Rate (per 1,000 population) Crude .. ..	19.01
Corrected .. ..	17.11
Stillbirth Rate (per 1,000 population .. ..	.38
(per 1,000 total births) .. ..	19.58

Deaths	Males	Females	Total
All ages .. .. .	233	195	428
Under one year .. .. .	5	8	13

Death Rate (per 1,000 population) Crude .. ..	12.49
Corrected .. ..	12.61
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births) ..	19.97
Number of women dying in, or in consequence of, childbirth	-
Death from Measles (all ages) .. .. .	-
Deaths from Whooping Cough .. .. .	-

TABLE 2  
VITAL STATISTICS, 1954-1963

Year	Popula- tion	No. of Deaths	No. of Births	No. of Infant Deaths	Death Rate	Birth Rate	Infant Mortality Rate	
1954	27,050	462	498	10	17.1	18.4	20.1	} 26.1
1955	27,570	494	557	14	17.9	20.0	25.5	
1956	27,930	443	542	16	15.9	18.9	30.3	
1957	28,640	522	538	13	18.2	18.8	24.2	
1958	29,230	354	560	17	12.1	19.2	30.4	
1959	29,930	386	598	15	12.9	20.0	25.0	} 21.4
1960	30,570	359	617	16	11.7	20.1	25.9	
1961	32,610	395	651	12	12.1	19.9	18.4	
1962	33,380	316	672	13	9.5	19.7	20.6	
1963	34,250	428	664	26	12.5	19.1	20.0	

5 year averages

TABLE 3  
CAUSES OF DEATH, 1963

CAUSES OF DEATH	Males	Females	Total 1963	Total 1962
All causes .. .. .	233	195	428	416
Tuberculosis - Respiratory .. ..	2	1	3	1
Syphilitic Disease .. .. .	-	-	-	1
Malignant Neoplasm - Stomach .. ..	5	2	7	9
Malignant Neoplasm - Lung-Bronchus ..	17	1	18	15
Malignant Neoplasm - Breast .. ..	-	5	5	4
Malignant Neoplasm - Uterus .. ..	-	2	2	3
Other Malignant Neoplasms .. ..	19	12	31	38
Leukaemia, Aleukaemia .. .. .	-	-	-	3
Diabetes .. .. .	-	-	-	2
Vascular Lesions of Nervous System ..	22	39	61	60
Coronary Disease, Angina .. ..	40	31	71	65
Hypertension with Heart Disease .. ..	4	5	9	16
Other Heart Disease .. .. .	35	28	63	62
Other Circulatory Disease .. ..	5	3	8	8
Influenza .. .. .	-	-	-	4
Pneumonia .. .. .	13	21	34	31
Bronchitis .. .. .	23	12	35	37
Other Diseases of Respiratory System	4	1	5	1
Ulcer of Stomach and Duodenum .. ..	3	2	5	1
Gastritis, Enteritis and Diarrhoea ..	1	1	2	-
Nephritis and Nephrosis .. ..	2	1	3	1
Hyperplasia of Prostate .. ..	1	-	1	2
Congenital Malformations .. ..	2	2	4	3
Other defined and ill-defined Diseases	13	18	31	32
Motor Vehicle Accidents .. ..	4	2	6	8
All other accidents .. .. .	10	1	11	5
Suicide .. .. .	3	3	6	4

# INFANT MORTALITY

TABLE 4

CAUSES OF NEO-NATAL DEATHS, 1963

CAUSES OF DEATH	With Prematurity	Without Prematurity	Total
Congenital defects .. ..	2	2	4
Prematurity .. .. .	1	-	1
Asphyxia .. .. .	-	2	2
Broncho Pneumonia .. ..	-	1	1
	3	5	8

TABLE 5

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF INFANTS ONE MONTH TO ONE YEAR, 1962

CAUSES OF DEATH	With Bronchitis or Pneumonia	Without Bronchitis or Pneumonia	Total
Broncho Pneumonia .. ..	1	-	1
Congenital Defects .. ..	1	1	2
Inhalation of Vomit .. ..	1	1	2
	3	2	5

TABLE 6

INFANT DEATHS - WARD

Ward	Males	Females	Total
Bedworth East .. .. .	1	1	2
Bedworth West .. .. .	2	2	4
Bedworth North .. .. .	1	2	3
Exhall East .. .. .	-	2	2
Exhall West .. .. .	1	-	1
Dulkington .. .. .	1	-	1
	6	7	13

PREVALENCE AND CONTROL OVER INFECTIOUS  
DISEASES - TUBERCULOSIS

TABLE 7  
NEW CASES AND MORTALITY

AGE PERIOD	NEW CASES				DEATHS			
	Pulmonary		Non-Pulmonary		Pulmonary		Non-Pulmonary	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
0 - 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 - 5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 - 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 - 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 - 20	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 - 25	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 - 35	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 - 45	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
45 - 55	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
55 - 65	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
65 Over	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Age Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	8	8	-	-	2	1	-	-

TABLE 8

	Pulmonary		Non-Pulmonary		Total
	M	F	M	F	
Cases on Register at 1. 1. 63.	177	158	17	23	375
Cases removed during 1963.	11	9	-	-	20
Cases added during 1963.	12	10	-	-	22
Cases on Register at 31.12.63.	178	159	17	23	377

TABLE 9  
NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

CASES NOTIFIED									
	0-1	1-5	5-10	10-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	+65	Total
Scarlet Fever	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Whooping Cough	5	7	10	5	-	-	-	-	27
Measles	10	187	90	4	-	-	-	-	291
Dysentery	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	4
Pneumonia	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	3
Food Poisoning	5	5	-	-	4	-	2	-	16



TABLE 10  
INFECTIOUS DISEASES - WARDS

DISEASE	W A R D						
	Bedworth E.	Bedworth W.	Bedworth N.	Exhall E.	Exhall W.	Bulkington	Total
Scarlet Fever	-	1	-	-	1	1	3
Whooping Cough	4	5	1	13	3	1	27
Measles	67	42	39	12	82	49	291
Dysentery	2	2	-	-	-	-	4
Pneumonia	2	-	-	-	-	1	3
Food Poisoning	3	5	-	6	2	-	16
Tuberculosis:							
Pulmonary	3	4	4	1	4	-	16

TABLE 11  
FOOD POISONING

Total number of outbreaks	Number of cases	Number of deaths	Organisms or other agents responsible with number of outbreaks of each	Foods involved with number of outbreaks of each
-	16	-	Unknown	Unknown

TABLE 12  
ISOLATION HOSPITALS  
CASES ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL, 1963

DISEASE	C O V E N T R Y		
	Males	Females	Total
Acute Bronchitis .. .. .	2	-	2
Puerpural Pyrexia .. .. .		5	5
Chicken Pox .. .. .	1	3	4
Measles .. .. .	1	-	1
Erythema Multiforme .. .. .	1	-	1
Diarrhoea and Vomitting .. .. .	5	3	8
Gastro-enteritis .. .. .	2	-	2
Pneumonia .. .. .	1	1	2
Dysentery .. .. .	2	-	2
Whooping Cough .. .. .	-	3	3
Chicken Pox with convulsions .. .. .	1	-	1
Erysipelas .. .. .	-	1	1
Meningitis .. .. .	1	-	1
Hepatitis .. .. .	1	-	1
Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	-	2	2
Tetanus .. .. .	1	-	1
TOTAL	19	18	37

## GENERAL PROVISIONS OF HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE AREA

The General Practitioner Service is administered by the Warwickshire Executive Council; there are seven Medical Practitioners together with Assistants resident in the district, and two or three others living outside practice on the periphery.

There are no general hospital services directly available within the district, but adequate out-patient and in-patient facilities are provided at the Nuneaton and Coventry Hospitals, which are administered by Group No. 20 Hospital Management Committee of the Birmingham Regional Hospital Board. Cases of Infectious Disease are usually admitted to Whitley Isolation Hospital, Coventry. The bed accommodation for Tuberculous patients is provided mainly at Hertford Hill Sanatorium, near Warwick, but other Sanatoria within the Birmingham Region are used. Out-patient clinics for Tuberculosis are held at Riversley Park Clinic Coton Road, Nuneaton, and The Quadrant, Coventry, and facilities for the diagnosis and treatment of venereal disease are available at Riversley Park Clinic, Nuneaton.

The Warwickshire County Council are responsible for the arrangements made for Domiciliary Nursing, Domestic Helps, Vaccination and Immunisation, the care of Mothers and Young Children, the Prevention of Illness, Care and After-Care and the Ambulance Service under Part III of the National Health Service Act, 1946. With the exception of the Ambulance Service the administration of these services is under the control of the Area Medical Officer, Council House, Nuneaton.

The Ambulance Depot is adjacent to the Clinic, Newtown Road, Bedworth where Infant Welfare Clinics and Clinics for School Children are held each week. These premises are also used for Ante-Natal, Ophthalmic and Sunlight Clinics, at which attendance is by appointment only. A modern, well-equipped Dental Surgery is situated at the Nicholas Chamberlaine School, where a School Dental Officer attends for the treatment of school children, and also of pre-school children and expectant mothers.

TABLE 13

Existing arrangements for all the Clinic Services provided by the Warwickshire County Council within the District are shown below:

SERVICE	SITUATION OF PREMISES	DAYS OPEN
Infant Welfare Centres (under 5 years)	Newtown Road, Bedworth.  Bennetts Road North, Keresley.  Chequers Street, Bulkington.	Mondays and Thursdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.  Tuesdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.  Wednesdays & Thursdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.
Ante-natal Clinics	Newtown Road, Bedworth.	Tuesdays 9.30a.m. - 12 noon.
Mothercraft & Relaxation	Newtown Road, Bedworth.  Dennetts Road North, Keresley.  Chequers Street, Bulkington.	Tuesdays & Wednesdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.  Wednesdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.  Tuesdays 2.00p.m. - 4.00p.m.
Eye Clinic	Newtown Road, Bedworth.	By appointment.
Dental Clinic	Nicholas Chamberlaine School.	Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays by appointment
Speech Therapy	Newtown Road, Bedworth.	By appointment

# HOUSING ACT 1957 & PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS

## DEFECTS REMEDIED AS THE RESULT OF STATUTORY NOTICES, LETTERS ETC.

### Dwelling Houses

Defective walls and ceilings repaired	..	..	..	..	16
Roofs repaired	..	..	..	..	8
Stairs repaired	..	..	..	..	2
Rainwater Pipes and Spouting repaired or new provided	..	..	..	..	9
Defective floors repaired or renewed	..	..	..	..	16
Fireplaces repaired or rebuilt	..	..	..	..	3
Coppers repaired or rebuilt	..	..	..	..	-
Yard paving repaired	..	..	..	..	2
Windows renewed or repaired	..	..	..	..	12
New sinks provided	..	..	..	..	3
Defective pointing repaired	..	..	..	..	4
Doors repaired or rehung	..	..	..	..	-
Chimney flues and brickwork repaired	..	..	..	..	4
New chimney pots provided	..	..	..	..	2
Defective brickwork repaired or renewed	..	..	..	..	6
Handrails provided	..	..	..	..	3
Damp-proof course provided	..	..	..	..	-

### Drainage, etc.

Drainage cleared from obstruction	..	..	..	..	15
Drainage inspection chambers provided or repaired	..	..	..	..	3
Ventilating shafts improved	..	..	..	..	2
Soil pipes repaired	..	..	..	..	-
Defective drains re-laid	..	..	..	..	4
Sink waste pipes and gullies repaired	..	..	..	..	12

### Closet Accommodation

Water closet pedestals repaired or renewed	..	..	..	..	7
Water closet cisterns repaired or renewed	..	..	..	..	4
Water closet seats repaired or renewed	..	..	..	..	2
Water closet accommodation provided	..	..	..	..	-

### Water Supply

Internal water supply provided or improved	..	..	..	..	5
Hurst water supply pipes repaired	..	..	..	..	7

### Domestic Refuse

Dustbins provided	..	..	..	..	16
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## DISINFECTION AND DISINFESTATION

Rooms disinfected after Infectious Disease	..	..	..	..	6
Rooms of verminous premises disinfested	..	..	..	..	18

## HOUSING

### Rent Act, 1957:-

Number of applications for Certificates of Disrepair .. ..	8
Number of decisions not to issue certificates .. ..	-
Number of decisions to issue certificates:-	
(a) in respect of some but not all defects .. ..	2
(b) in respect of all defects .. ..	6
Number of undertakings given by landlords .. ..	4
Number of undertakings refused .. ..	-
Number of certificates issued .. ..	4
Number of applications for cancellation of certificates ..	-
Objections by tenants to cancellation of certificates ..	-
Decisions by Local Authority to cancel in spite of tenant's objection .. ..	-
Certificates cancelled .. ..	-

### Remedy of Defects during the year without Service of Formal Notices:-

Number of defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of informal action .. ..	46
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### Action taken under Statutory Powers during the year:-

Number of defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of notices served under the Public Health Acts	18
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## HOUSE PURCHASE AND HOUSING ACT 1959

Total number of applications approved during 1963 .. ..	114
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## MOVEABLE DWELLINGS

No. of Licences sites .. ..	7
No. of dwellings on licenced sites .. ..	204
No. of individual licences .. ..	16
No. of unlicenced sites .. ..	4
No. of dwellings of unlicenced sites .. ..	27
No. of individual unlicenced dwellings .. ..	12
No. of dwellings exempt from licence (Members of Showmen's Guilds, Agricultural Workers etc.) .. ..	26
	11
	285

TABLE 14

## WATER SAMPLES

The following table is based on the Ministry of Health's Report - "The Bacteriological Examination of water supplies", which classified piped supplies as follows:

	Class 1 Excellent	..	..	..	..	..	Coliform Count per 100 ml.	Bact. Coli 1 Count per 100 ml.*
Class 2 Satisfactory	..	..	..	..	..	..	0	0
Class 3 Suspicious	..	..	..	..	..	..	0-3	0
Class 4 Unsatisfactory	..	..	..	..	..	..	4-10	0
* the presence of Bact. Coli 1 immediately places the sample in Class 4.	..	..	..	..	..	..	Greater than 10	0 or more

SOURCE	Class 1		Class 2		Class 3		Class 4		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Newdigate Colliery No. 1.	6	85.7	-	-	1	14.3	-	-	7	100
Newdigate Colliery No. 2.	6	85.7	1	14.3	-	-	-	-	7	100
Birmingham.	9	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	100
20 in Borehole, Bedworth Waterworks.	3	75.0	1	25.0	-	-	-	-	4	100
Exhall Well & 20 in Borehole Mixed.	11	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	100
Town Mains.	19	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	100
Nuneaton Town Mains.	7	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	100
Private Wells.	2	66.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	100
All Sources.	63	94.0	2	3.0	2	3.0	-	-	67	100

# SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE AREA WATER SUPPLY

The Water Supply of Bedworth is constant, and is obtained as follows:-

- (a) Two sources at the Newdigate Colliery, in the West Ward of the District.
  - (i) From an adit in the Frank Shaft, 270 ft. below ground surface.
  - (ii) From a 12in. borehole, 220 ft. deep.
- (b) 20 in. borehole, Bedworth Waterworks.  
The borehole is 20in. in diameter and 275 ft. deep.
- (c) Exhall Deep Well.  
The well is 9 ft. in diameter, and approximately 260 - 300 ft. deep.
- (d) Coventry Corporation.  
This is used as a Supplementary Supply, and is only drawn upon when necessary.
- (e) Birmingham.  
This is used as a supplementary supply, being piped via Nuneaton.

All this water is pumped into a storage reservoir at the Waterworks. The reservoir has a storage capacity of 750,000 galls. The water is pumped from the reservoir and boosted direct to the town. The Water Tower is now only used for night duty.

The Exhall East and West Wards are in the Water Supply district of the City of Coventry, and are supplied by that Corporation.

As a result of the above it is considered that the Water Supply of the area has been reasonably satisfactory in quantity.

No. of samples of Town's water submitted for analysis:-		64		
		Raw Water	Treated Water	Total
(a)	Chemical	-	-	-
(b)	Bacteriological	28	36	64

No. of samples from all other sources submitted for analysis:-

					Raw Water	
					Chemical	Bacteriological
Wells	....	....	....	....	-	3
Springs		....	....	....	-	-



TABLE 15  
CLOSET ACCOMMODATION

The following table shows the number of pailclosets and cesspools in the district:

	Bedworth	Exhall	Bulkington
Pailclosets	4	6	15
Cesspools	20	42	56

TABLE 16  
 FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS AND WORKPLACES

1. - Inspection of Factories, Workshops and Workplaces, including inspections made by Public Health Inspector.

PREMISES	Number of		
	Inspect ions.	Written Notices	Occupiers Prosecuted
Factories (including Factory Laundries)	82	-	-
Workshops (including Workshop Laundries)	-	-	-
Workplaces (other than Outworkers' premises)	-	-	-
TOTAL	82	-	-

TABLE 17

2. - Defects found in Factories, Workshops and Workplaces

	Number of Defects			Number of offences in respect to which prosecutions were installed.
	Found	Remed- ied.	Referr- ed to H. M. Ins- pector.	
Nuisances under the Public Health Acts:- *				
Want of cleanliness	-	-	-	-
Want of ventilation	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding	-	-	-	-
Want of drainage of floors	-	-	-	-
Other nuisances	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Accommodation				
Insufficient	-	-	-	-
Unsuitable or defective	4	4	-	-
Not separate for sexes	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	4	4	-	-

\*Including those specified in Sections 2,3,7 and 8 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, as remediable under the Public Health Acts.

## FOOD PREMISES

Number of Food Premises registered under Section 16, Food and Drugs Act, 1955.

Ice-Cream	
Sale - Storage	94
Manufacture	2
Sausages	17

## VISITS TO FOOD PREMISES

Fried Fish Shops	24
Bakehouses	12
Dutchers' Shops, Stalls, Vans	110
Ice Cream Premises	142
Dairies, Milkshops	28
Catering Establishments	23

## ICE CREAM SAMPLES

During the year 158 samples of ice cream were taken and submitted for bacteriological analysis, the results of which are as follows:-

Grade	Pre-packed	Loose	Total
1	53	32	85
2	16	28	44
3	6	11	17
4	-	12	12
	75	83	158

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD  
MILK SUPPLY, 1963

Number of milk retailers, other than producers, resident in district 26.

TABLE 18  
TUBERCULOUS MILK INVESTIGATIONS

Routine Milk Samples taken by the Warwickshire County  
Council for Biological Examination during  
1963.

	No. of Samples	
	Total	No. Positive
Pasteurised	69	-
Tuberculin Tested (Past)	-	-
Tuberculin Tested	-	-
Accredited and non-designated	50	-

Results of Investigations of Tubercle-Infected Milk  
Supplied during the year 1963.

Number of	Cases found on routine sampling in the County.	Cases reported by neighbouring County Authorities
1. Investigations	-	-
2. Cows examined	-	-
3. Milk samples for diagnostic purposes	-	-
4. Cows slaughtered under Tuberculosis order	-	-
5. Cows removed from herds during investigations that may have been infected	-	-

MEAT  
CARCASSES INFECTED AND CONDEMNED, 1963.

DETAILS	Cattle excluding Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs	Horses
No. killed	367	22	2	1770	686	Nil
No. inspected	367	22	2	1770	686	Nil
All diseases except tuberculosis and cysticerci:-						
Whole carcasses condemned	-	-	-	2	-	Nil
Carcasses of which some part of organ condemned	125	17	-	172	63	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than tuber- culosis and cysticerci	34.0	77.3	-	9.9	9.5	Nil
Tuberculosis only:-						
Whole carcase condemned	-	-	-	-	-	Nil
Carcasses of which some part or organs condemned	1	-	-	2	8	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis	.26	-	-	.05	1.1	Nil
Cysticercosis:-						
Carcasses of which some part or organ condemned	2	-	-	-	-	Nil
Carcasses submitted to treatment by refrig- eration	-	-	-	-	-	Nil
Generalised and totally condemned	-	-	-	-	-	Nil

# FOOD CONDEMNED DURING 1963

DETAILS	WEIGHT		
	Cwts.	Qrs.	Lbs.
37 tins of Ham, Tongue, Meat etc.	1	3	17
89 tins of Jam, Fruit, Fish, Vegetables, Milk etc.	1	2	19
Large variety of frozen foods.	3	1	18
TOTAL	6	3	24

## DISPOSAL OF CONDEMNED FOOD

All condemned meat from the slaughterhouses is conveyed to a private firm in Nuneaton for processing.

All other condemned food is collected by the Council's Refuse Department and disposed of by tipping with the normal household refuse.



